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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ETRD, GATT  
SUBJECT: GATT COUNCIL

1. GATT SECRETARIAT HAS SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE GATT  
COUNCIL ON JULY 24. TENTATIVE AGENDA IS AS FOLLOWS:

A. PROVISIONAL ACCESSION OF THAILAND -- A WORKING  
PARTY WILL BE ESTABLISHED TO CONSIDER THAILAND'S REQUEST  
FOR PROVISIONAL ACCESSION.

B. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS COMMITTEE -- REPORTS OF  
CONSULTATIONS WITH ISRAEL AND FINLAND AND MINI-  
CONSULTATIONS WITH BRAZIL AND GREECE. WE EXPECT THESE  
REPORTS TO BE ADOPTED ROUTINELY.

C. REPORT OF THE JOINT ADVISORY GROUP ON INTER-  
NATIONAL TRADE CENTER. ROUTINE ADOPTION EXPECTED.

D. REPORT OF THE BUDGET COMMITTEE. ROUTINE ADOPTION  
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EXPECTED.

E. CANADA -- WITHDRAWAL OF TARIFF CONCESSIONS UNDER  
ARTICLE XXVIII:3. AT LAST COUNCIL MEETING EC ASKED  
COUNCIL TO GIVE INTERPRETATION OF PANEL'S REPORT ON  
THE EC-CANADIAN DISPUTE WITH RESPECT TO LEAD AND ZINC.  
U.S. SHOULD BE PREPARED TO OFFER ITS INTERPRETATION OF

PANEL REPORT. SEPTTEL FOLLOWS.

F. SPANISH MEASURES OF IMPORTS OF PULP. THIS ITEM WAS RAISED AT LAST MEETING BY SWEDES UNDER "OTHER BUSINESS." U.S. MAY WISH TO COMMENT SINCE WE ARE SECOND SUPPLIER TO SPANISH MARKET AFTER SWEDEN.

G. SECRETARIAT NOTE ON ARTICLE XXVIII PROCEDURES -- SECRETARIAT WILL ASK THAT COUNCIL TAKE NOTE OF DOCUMENT IT HAS CIRCULATED.

2. ALTHOUGH MOST DELEGATES ARE AWARE OF COURT DECISION IN ZENITH CASE, WE BELIEVE IT APPROPRIATE TO INFORM THEM OF COURT'S FINDINGS UNDER ITEM "OTHER BUSINESS." CLOSING DATE FOR ADDING ITEMS TO AGENDA IS 14 JULY. VANDEN HEUVEL

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